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Poem by Uncle John

He's only some five an' a half year old—an' they say he's bright fer his size. He never forgets a thing he's told, nor what he may glimpse with his eyes,—So, I've got to be keerful of what I do in front of my offspring guest,—for I'm the one that he keeps in view—this feller that knows me best. . . .

He'll climb on the arm of my Morris-cheer, with eyes wide open, ye know . . . an' he'll ast me *what is tobacker fer*, an' why does my whiskers grow. . . . An' he'll mebbe enquire afore he's through, why don't I button my vest? He's a little aristocrat, staunch an' true—this feller that knows me best. . . .

I've got to look pleasant around the house—an' cultivate manners new. . . . It beats the world how this little mouse will copy the things I do. . . . I tell ye—I'm livin' a constant prayer, with an anxious heart in my breast, but, I reckon it ain't no more'n fair, to the feller that knows me best.

THE TRUTH "—is also found in frank confession of error"

The Republican Press will be glad to receive and publish corrections of inaccuracies in its columns.

WOULD CUT THE COST

PRESIDENT Calvin Coolidge is going to make the race for the Republican nomination on a platform pledged to reduce taxes. With such a program he should be returned to the White House. The cost of running the national government, as was the case of running our state government here in California when Governor Richardson made his campaign, has been much too great.

Indicative of the manner in which the late message of President Coolidge was received, it is pleasing to be able to reprint the following statement, taken from a leading state Democratic newspaper:

"Breaking the dramatic silence which has wrapped him about like a mantle since he entered the White House, Calvin Coolidge, in his first message to Congress, speaks candidly, and in such manner as to command the respect even of those who may differ from him and who may oppose his policies.

President Coolidge is a tax-reductionist first, last and all the time. Reduction of taxes, he holds, is the paramount work before Congress. Upholding the budget system, the President urges sweeping cuts in taxes. In this connection, Mr. Coolidge declares unqualifiedly against a bonus for World War soldiers.

Against America's entrance into the League of Nations, and treating the movement to carry this country into the League as a closed incident, Mr. Coolidge does give adhesion to the projected Permanent Court of International Justice.

Mr. Coolidge is for strict enforcement of the prohibition law and in this connection says that "free government has no greater menace than disrespect for authority and continual violation of law."

In dealing with the problems of the farmer, the President urges self-help. There are certain things that government may do to help agriculture. But the farmer chiefly must rely upon himself for amelioration of his condition. Diversification of himself is one of the betterment suggestions made by Mr. Coolidge.

Here is a passage from Mr. Coolidge's message that should strike a popular chord:

The world has had enough of the curse of hatred and selfishness of war. It has enough of the wrongful use of material power. For the healing of the nations there must be good will and charity, confidence and peace . . . Our authority among the nations must be represented by justice and mercy . . . . Our duty is to help give stability to the public—free, independent, powerful. The best service that can be rendered to humanity is the assurance that this place will be maintained.

There is much in the message to commend. It is a courageous pronouncement. Mr. Coolidge takes attitude on some questions that is sure to precipitate bitter controversy. The style of the message is terse. It is not overflowing with superfluous words. It is pungent and epigrammatic. Upon this message and the way it is received by Congress and the country, the political future of Mr. Coolidge in large measure depends.

SYMPOSIUM ON EDUCATION

SOME friend of this newspaper who reads this page, he says, regularly, sent the treat reproduced below. It starts off with the classic of the traveling man, somewhat under the influence of something stronger than water, who wabbled up to the house stenographer in a Cleveland hotel and asked her to take a letter. The young woman squared away for dictation and he groggily began:

"Dear Friend Wife—I've been delayed on this trip longer than I expected. Don't look for me home for another week. I've got to go up to Dowegiac."

The typist looked up from her typewriter. "How do you spell 'Dowegiac'?" she asked.

"Do you mean to tell me," he demanded, "that you can't spell the name of a thriving town like Dowegiac—a name which should be familiar to everyone?"

"I'm afraid not," she said. "Please spell it for me." He started, slowed up, stopped, then started again and finally came to a dead halt. "Never mind," he said; "make it 'Kalamazoo.' "

Under the head of grammar comes the also somewhat elderly anecdote of the purist who said to the farmer: "I notice you speak of your hens as 'setting.' Do you mean when a hen goes on the nest that she sits or that she sets?"

"Friend," said the sturdy agriculturist, "that point don't give me worry. But when she comes off the nest and starts cackling, what I want to know is, did she lay or did she lie?"

During the recent New York City Silver Jubilee, an aviator answered an advertisement that had been inserted in the papers by one of the directors of exhibits.

"Before we go ahead and talk contract," said the director, "I want to know if you're a good speller?"

"What difference does that make?" asked the candidate. "I know how to fly—isn't that sufficient?"

"No, it isn't. We want a man to do smoke writing on the sky and the last one I hired went up twelve thousand feet and then came down to find out how to spell 'Jubilee.' "

The next number on the program is furnished by Irving Bacheller, the novelist. He used to live in St. Lawrence county, the most overwhelmingly Republican county, population considered, in the state of New York. He says that in his village, back in 1884, there was but just one lone Democrat. When the returns showed that Cleveland had been elected president, the solitary Democrat held a ratification meeting all by himself. He went up and down the street of the hamlet, whooping loudly and bearing a banner upon which was the following inscription: "Educa shun Done It!"

This collection would not be complete unless we concluded with the ancient and honorable tale of the policeman who found a dead horse lying on a street corner. Under the rules he was required to enter the fact in his note-book. He got out the book and then remembered that this was the corner of Terpischore street and Kosiusko boulevard. So he put the book back in his pocket, rolled up his sleeves, spat on his hands, took deceased by the tail and dragged his remains two blocks east to the corner of First and Elm.

EXPERIENCED

A victim of chronic bronchitis called on a doctor to be examined. The doctor after careful questioning, assured the patient that the ailment would respond readily to treatment. "I suppose you must have had a great deal of experience with this disease?" said the sufferer.

The doctor smiled wisely, and replied: "Why, my dear sir, I've had bronchitis myself for over fifteen years."—**The Christian Evangelist (St. Louis).**

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WHERE SILENCE WAS BEST

Well-Meaning Stranger—"Perhaps I can help you—there are one or two things I can tell you about your make of car."

Motorist—"Please keep them to yourself, there are ladies present."—**The Bystander (London).**

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NOT QUIET

The Press Man (interviewing notorious personage recently released from prison)—"And then shall I say that you walked forth from the grim gates of prison a free man?"

The Notoriety—"No, no, you can't say that. I had the wife with me!"—**London Humorist.**

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HE TRUSTED HER

Poker—"Won't your wife miss you.

Chip—"No, she's a pretty fair shot."—**Froth.**

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ON HIS WAY

Fair Lady—"Is there no succor?"

Brave Knight—"Yes, I'm coming."—**Awgwan.**

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PAINT AD

The Modern Girl's Motto: Save the surface and you save all.—**Cornell Widow.**

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QUEERED

Lawyer—"Well, what shall we ask for—trial by judge or jury?"

Client—"Take the judge, Doc. I've done plumbing for nearly everybody in this town." —**Colonel.**

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THE BIG GAMBLE

Preacher (solemnly)—"Rastus, do you take dis her woman for better or for worse?"

Rastus (from force of habit)—"Pahson, Ah shoots it all."—**Bison.**

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It may be true civilized man can not do without cooks, but he's going to have to struggle along without Doctor Frederick A. for at least fourteen years.—**Philadelphia North American.**

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German taverns are selling drinkables at prohibitive prices, we read, but the real distress won't come till they begin charging Prohibition prices.—**San Diego Union.**

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Reports indicate that New York's bandit colony is observing its established rule of doing its Christmas shooting early.—**Danville News.**

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Lady Astor calls her hecklers hyenas. Thus doth the advent of women purify politics.—**Columbus Dispatch.**

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The fruits of victory that the Allies won are apples of discord.—**Washington Post.**

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If Iceland really wants Prohibition, we have lots of it that isn't being used.—**Detroit Free Press.**

AN OLD PRINTER

(Written for the Christian Science Monitor.)

He made me think of Franklin as he stood
There at the stone, keen-eyed and skilled of hand;
One of the great, far-reaching brotherhood,
One of the many printers in our land.
Plainly he loved his task. A quick glance here:
Some quoin to loosen, letter to reset.
Page after page he tried, while we stood near,
Our very presence seemed he to forget.

I thought of other printers, centuries gone—
Gutenberg, Caxton, Aldus, thrifty Ben—
While here before me, swiftly on and on
This artist labored now, as had those men.
"A printer long?" I asked. He paused to say:
"Just sixty years—and never missed a day!"

—Frances Crosby Hamlet.

GOING EASY

"You look like a good risk, Mrs. Malone, but will you kindly tell me what your father died of?"

"Oi can't rightly remimber as to thot, sur, but sure it was nothing surious."—**Life.**

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LOOKING FORWARD

The United States has a $22,600,000 judgment against Germany, and probably will collect it about Judgment Day.—**Little Rock Arkansas Gazette.**

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Many big ranch deals are taking place in the Ukiah valley.

The Chinese of the county are contributing toward a Chinese hospital to be built in San Francisco.

Fort Bragg is to have a municipal Christmas tree.

The school at Noyo has closed.

Michael Brown, one of the well-known pioneers of the Coast, died last week.

W. E. Kosky, former deputy sheriff of Alameda county, has been appointed night marshal at Fort Bragg.

Belief prevails the MacDonald-to-the-Sea highway will be financed shortly.

Mendocino City is going to incorporate.

The Guatemoc recently sailed from the coast with 50 tons of apples for Santa Rosa.

Albion camps are letting men go, having an ample supply of logs for the time being.

Mendocino, during the recent Red Cross drive, signed up 276 members.

The Mendocino Lumber Co. has stopped work on its Big River dam.

Coast people are installing a number of radios.

The American Legion Carnival at Ukiah was a big success.

Covelo is to have Chautauqua each year now that the first attempt was a success.

The Pacific Gas & Electric Co. is extending its lines rapidly in the Ukiah Valley.

Mendocino county turkeys are much sought after in San Francisco markets these days.

Covelo is soon to be lighted by electricity.

Christmas business is reported excellent by most merchants of the county.

Several hundred thousand dollars are to be spent by the Northwestern Pacific on road improvements.

The picking of red berries along the highway is to be stopped, officials of the highway state.

Opposition to the pardon of "Jack" Weller, wrecker of two Fort Bragg banks is developing.

Mendocino County apple growers carried off many honors at a recent apple show at Davis.

Ukiah's new pedestal street lighting system is to be installed shortly after the first of the year.

Learn to write it 1-9-2-4.

What the old-line politicians really fear is not the 3rd parth but the 4rd party.—**Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.**

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A woman's secret society has been formed in America. It sounds impossible.—**London Opinion.**

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The great need of the wheat farmer at present is fewer experts and more exports.—**Associated Editors (Chicago)**

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Inured to the climate of the North Pole, Dr. Cook should not find the temperature of the cooler distasteful.—**New York Evening Post.**

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In the not distant future some woman is going to add picturesquness to the political scene by throwing a spring bonnet into the ring.—**Washington Star.**

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Current Old Guard fashion hints for the Presidential ring put the taboo on the Hi hat.—**Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.**

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A man who broke into a house recently took nothing but a gramophone. All the neighbors are now suspicious.—**The Humorist (London).**

Arizona Stock Will Be Wintered Nearby

That Arizona stockmen are planning to bring large numbers of cattle to Sonoma and Mendocino cunties for winter grazing, was indicated in Santa Rosa Saturday with the arrival of three representatives of livestock interests of the neighboring state. The cattlemen said they personally have 1,500 head of cattle for which they are hunting pasture in this section, and they represent others who have thousands of head. They will be in Sonoma and in Mendocino counties several days to survey the situation.

TURKEYS DROPPED

Market Fell 10 Cents In One Day—Outlook Is Poor

Lemon & Hanscom of San Francisco wish to call attention to the drop of ten cents per pound in dressed turkeys the first of this week. Receipts have been very heavy each day. More than the market could take care of. And it is not likely turkeys will go up again during the rest of the season, but of course, no one can tell.

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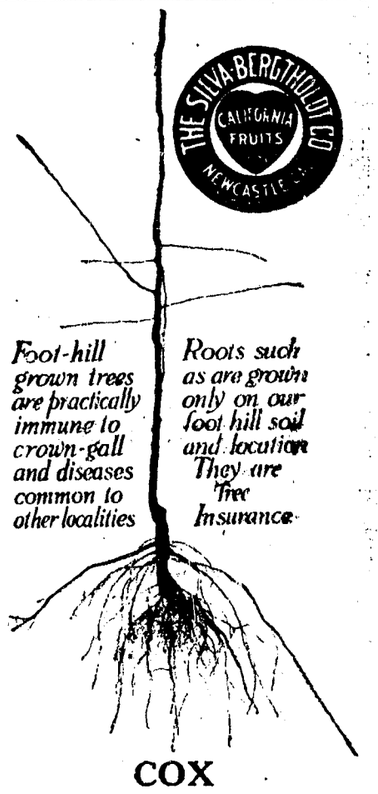

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Society and Club Events

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CHILDREN WILL PRESENT FINE PROGRAMS THIS CHRISTMAS

As a prelude to the great festival of the Christian nations the various Sunday schools of the city are preparing programs and gift trees this week centering about the sweetest story ever told—the story of the Babe of Bethlehem. Wreaths and garlands are being hung and all over the land the "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men" anthem and carols are being rehearsed. In Ukiah the Christmas season will be ushered in Friday evening with joyous strains of children's voices. The programs in some of the churches will be as follows:

Catholic Church

At St. Mary's church the Christmas will be ushered in with a midnight mass which will start at midnight, Monday, December 24 at the Albertinum chapel. This will be the first of several services which will follow in the church later in the morning.

On Tuesday afternoon the boys of the Albertinum school will observe Christmas with music and other exercises around the brilliantly lighted trees that are always provided by friends of the institution.

Episcopal Church

At Holy Trinity church there will be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist beginning at ten o'clock Christmas morning with attendant special music by the choir.

M. E. Church, South

"Hope of the Christmas City," a sacred cantata for Christmas, will be staged Saturday at 7:30 o'clock at the M. E. Church, South under the direction of Mrs. E. B. Gibson and Mrs. J. J. Mathews.

The story of the cantata has to do with the beginning of the spreading of gospel by the coming of the Savior. The cast of characters is as follows: Hope, Mrs. M. Ford; Elkanah, Mrs. Ernest Hawn; Joseph, Logan Anker; Ruth, Lucile LeBastie; Philistia, Virginia Herron; Pompilia, Billy Hagans; Mars, Billy Held; Laine, Shepherd, Jack Taylor; wand bearers, Dorothy Burns and Gertrude Ford; 1st shepherd, Ward Howard; 2nd shepherd; Edward Frazier; 3rd shepherd, Lilburn Vassar; 4th shepherd, Cyril Vassar.

Rehearsals are going on daily for the cantata, which promises to be one of the most beautiful and impressive religious pagents ever staged in Ukiah.

Presbyterian Church

At the Presbyterian church the children of the Sunday school are rehearsing for the Christmas exercises which will tell the story, in song and reading, of the manger at Bethlehem.

There will be a brilliantly lighted Christmas tree and a distribution of sweets by Santa Claus following the program. Mrs. P. W .Handy is chairman of the committee in charge of the event.

St. John's M. E. Church

On Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock the children of the St. John Sunday school will be put an a cantata "Waiting for Santa Claus" under the direction of Mrs. May Beckley with Miss Alice Conner at the piano. Will Van Dyke and Mrs. Martha Toles are arranging for the music and details of the gift tree that will close the evening with jollity for the children.

Calpella School

The trustees of the Calpella school are extending a cordial invitation to the Ukiah public to be present in the new school auditorium Sunday evening at seven o'clock to witness the Christmas tree exercises of the school put on under the direction of the teachers, Mrs. A. L. Tracy and Mrs. Vic McClure. The pupils have been diligently rehearsing and a fine entertainment is promised.

ELECTED OFFICERS

The Pythian Sisters held an interesting meeting Friday evening at which time officers were nominated and elected as follows: Mrs. Maud Martin, most excellent chief; Mrs. Fred Nassie, manager; Mrs. Evelyn Guidi, Senior; Mrs. G. A. Keller, Junior; Mrs. Glenn Pool, protectress; Mrs. J. Magulas, outside guard; Mrs. Martha Toles, sec.; Mrs. Vincent Giorno, treas. Following the business meeting the order enjoyed an old-fashioned corn-popping party. Last evening the lodge were guests of the Knights of Pythias at a banquet served in the Odd Fellows hall.

YULETIDE SPIRIT OF THE SEASON MARKS CLUB'S MEETING

The December meeting of the Cultus Club, with Mrs. Hugh L. Preston as hostess, was in keeping with the spirit of the holiday season. The business meeting, presided over by Miss Shirley Perry, was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Austin and was followed by the program under the direction of Mrs. Lucy Seawell. Mrs. Seawell gave an interesting reading entitled "Christmas Tree Origin." The story of the dinner and the Christmas tree to the "Regleses' " from The Birds' Christmas Carol" by Kate Douglas Wiggin was read by Mrs. Freda Joseph. Mrs. Amber Vestal read "Christmas Eve" from Sir Walter Scott's "Marmion," and Miss Nell Conrad gave a humorous poem on the joys of the Christmas season. Miss Mary Graves sang "A Christmas Lullaby," by Combes, and "Baby, My Baby" by Carrie Jacobs Bond, Miss Graves played her own accompaniment.

At the conclusion of the program the members and guests crossed the street to the home of Mrs. Preston where refreshments were served at prettily appointed tables. During the refreshment service, cards bearing Christman greetings in the language of ten foreign countries, were read. Guests of the evening were Mrs. Mary Ruddock, Miss Gulich and Miss Pfitzer.

CHARMING DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Crawford were hosts Sunday at the first of a series of dinners which they are planning to give during the winter season at their charming home south of town. Mr. and Mrs. Crawford are delightful hosts and upon this occasion entertained in their usual happy manner. Guests invited were: Mr. and Mrs. A. R. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cunningham, Mrs. J. J. Mathews and Messrs. C. S. Myszka and William Connolly.

FOR ESTEEMED FRIEND

A group of young matrons arranged a delightful surprise party for Mrs. Elmer Gibson Monday afternoon upon the occasion of her birthday. The afternoon was entertainingly passed in bridge and a tea service and the guest of honor was showered with flowers and sweets by her friends. Those who participated in the pleasure of the event were Mrs. Volney Van Dyke, Mrs. Hazel McGarvey, Mrs. Earl Ford, Mrs. Taylor McGarvey, Mrs. M. H. Iversen, Mrs. Victor McGarvey, Mrs. Perle Crawford and Mrs. Floyd Banker.

HAVE LOVELY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Yarbrough, who recently purchased the beautiful Heilman ranch in Redwood valley were in Ukiah Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Yarbrough also own a ranch near Guerneville but are very enthusiastic over the scenic beauty of Mendocino county. Their new home in Redwood valley is one af the finest and most picturesque places in Mendoceno county. It is the show place of this section and the view from the wide verandas surrounding the house is unsurpassed in panoramic loveliness.

BRIDAL PAIR HERE

Mr .and Mrs. Elwood Nonneman, nee Alice Stufft of Burlingame are in Ukiah this week as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perle Crawford. The Stufft-Nonneman marriage was solemnized at St. Paul's church, Burlingame on Saturday evening, December 8. Sunday the honeymooners and their hosts motored to Potter valley where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Thornton at dinner.

SALE OF XMAS SEALS

School children went among the shoppers last week in the downtown section and also made a house-to-house canvass in the cause of the Red Cross Christmas stamp with the result more stamps sold locally than in many previous years. A Christmas gift of health to the nation follows in the wake of the holiday stamp sale and the children are to be commended for their creditable salesmanship and public spirit.

Vanity boxes—at JOSEPH'S.

SURPRISE PARTY

A coterie of friends surprised Mrs. Robert McGarvey Tuesday afternoon upon the occasion of her birthday and invaded her pretty home for a few hours of bridge with a tea service following. The guests presented Mrs. McGarvey with a dainty birthday gift instead of offering the usual bridge favor. Those who participated in the event were Mrs. Volney Van Dyke, Mrs. Elmer Gibson, Mrs. Earl Ford, Mrs. Perle Crawford, Mrs. Wesley Ford, Mrs. Taylor McGarvey, Mrs. Victor McGarvey, Mrs. M. H. Iversen.

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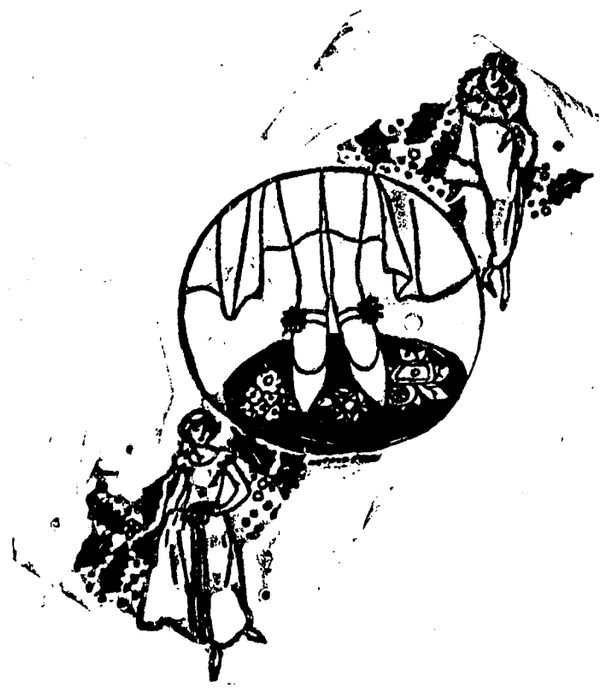

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Silk and Wool Hose	$1.00 to $1.25
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NOTICE OF SALE OF FRANCHISE

Notice is hereby given that Central Mendocino County Power Company has filed with the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino, an application for a franchise, the character of which is as follows, towit, a franchise to continue for a period of thirty (30) years, to lay and construct pipes, pipe lines and mains, and to erect poles and wires thereon, with their appurtenances, and to maintain the same along, through, across and under the alleys, streets, avenues, roads, highways and side-walks in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and to distribute and sell water and electric energy therein and therethrough, to the said County of Mendocino, and its residents, for power, irrigation, domestic and other purposes, including the right to do anything and everything that may be necessary or incidental thereto, in order to enable -the Company to furnish, sell and distribute, as a public utility, water and electric energy for any and all of the aforesaid purposes.

Notice is further given that it is proposed to grant said franchise for a period of thirty (30) years from and after the date when the same shall be so granted, and that sealed bids therefor, will be received by the Board of Supervisors of the said County of Mendocino up to the hour of ten o'clock A. M., on the 13th day of February A. D. 1924.

Notice is hereby given that thereafter, in the manner and within the time provided by law, said franchise will be struck off, sold and awarded by said Board of Supervisors, to the person, firm or corporation who shall make the highest cash bid therefor, provided only, that at the time of opening of said bids, any responsible person, firm or corporation present or represented, may bid for said franchise a sum not less than ten per cent (10 per cent) above the highest sealed bid therefor, and said bid so made may be raised not less than ten per cent (10 per cent) by any other responsible bidder, and said bidding may so continue until finally said franchise shall be struck off, sold and awarded by said Board of Supervisors, to the highest bidder therefor, in gold coin of the United States.

Notice is hereby given that each sealed bid shall be accompanied with cash, or a certified check payable to the Treasurer of said County of Mendocino, for the full amount of said bid, and no sealed bid shall be considered unless said cash or check is enclosed therewith; and the successful bidder shall deposit at least ten per cent (10 per cent) of the amount of his bid with the Clerk of said County of Mendocino before the franchise shall be struck off to him, and if he shall fail to make such deposit immediately, then and in that case his bid shall not be received, and shall be considered as void, and said franchise shall then and there be again offered for sale to the bidder who shall make the highest cash bid therefor, subject to the same conditions as to deposit as above mentioned. Said procedure shall be had until said franchise is struck off, sold and awarded to a bidder who shall make the necessary deposit of at least ten per cent (10 per cent) of the amount of his bid therefor, as herein provided. Said successful bidder shall deposit with the Clerk of said County of Mendocino, within twenty-four (24) hours of the acceptance of his bid, the remaining ninety (90 per cent) of the amount thereof ,and in case he or it shall fail to do so, then the said deposit theretofore made shall be forfeited and the said award of said franchise shall be void, and the said franchise shall then and there, by said Board of Supervisors be again offered for sale to the highest bidder therefor, in the same manner and under the same restrictions as hereinbefore provided, and in case said bidder shall fail to deposit with the Clerk of said County of Mendocino, the remaining ninety per cent (90 per cent) of his bid within twenty-four (24) hours after its acceptance, the award to him of said franchise shall be set aside and the deposit theretofore made by him shall be forfeited, and no further proceedings for a sale of said franchise shall be had unless the same shall be re-advertised, and again offered for sale in the manner hereinbefore provided.

The successful bidder for said franchise struck off, sold and awarded, as herein provided, shall file with said Board of Supervisors within five (5) days after such franchise is awarded, a bond running to said County of Mendocino, with at least two good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by said Board of Supervisors in the penal sum of $1000.00 conditioned that such bidder shall well and truly observe, fulfill and perform each and every term and condition of said franchise, and that in case of any breach of condition of such bond, the whole amount of the penal sum therein named shall be taken and deemed to be liquidated damages, and shall be recoverable from the principal and sureties upon said bond. Upon the filing and approval of such bond, the said franchise shall be granted by said Board of Supervisors by ordinance, to the person, firm or corporation to whom it has been struck off, sold or awarded, and in case said bond shall not be so filed, the award of such franchise shall be set aside, and any money paid therefor shall be forfeited, and said franchise shall, in the discretion of said Board of Supervisors be re-advertised and again offered for sale in the same manner and under the same restrictions as hereinbefore provided.

Notice is hereby further given that the successful bidder to whom said franchise shall be so awarded, and his assigns, must during the life of said franchise, pay to the said County of Mendocino, two per cent (2 per cent) of the gross annual receipts of the person, partnership or corporation to whom the franchise is awarded, arising from its use, operation or possession, provided however, that no percentage shall be paid for the first five (5) years succeeding the date of franchise. But thereafter, such percentage shall be payable annually, and in the event said payment is not made, said franchise shall be forfeited.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

A. J. FAIRBANKS,
Chairman, Board of Supervisors.
Attest:—W. H. Prather, Clerk.
By M. A. Carpenter, Deputy Clerk.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Passed and adopted by the following votes, this 11th day of December, 1923.

Ayes: Supervisors:—E. L. Williams, E. M. Ford, W. H. Ross, N. P. Howe, A. J. Fairbanks.
Noes: None.
Absent: None.
Not participating in vote: None.

A. J. FAIRBANKS,
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino, State of California.
(SEAL)
Attest: W. H. Prather, Clerk.
By M. A. Carpenter, Deputy Clerk.
29-5c.

CHRISTMAS
TURKEY SHOOT
Next Sunday
December 23rd

On the Otis Redemeyer ranch, just across the Russian River where the new bridge is being built.
The shoot will start at 10 o'clock and continue until five o'clock.

There will be lots of turkeys of the primest kind and fine large boxes of glazed fruits given away.

Winners of turkeys, if they wish, will be given orders on The Ukiah Free Market and can wait until just before Christmas to pick their birds.

Don't Forget the Place
Don't Forget the Date

LOOK FOR THE SIGNS

Paul Poulos
Harry Campbell

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the City and County of San Francisco.
In the Matter of the Guardianship of the Estate of Charles Wells Huse, a Minor.
No. 20801—Dept. 10.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, guardians of the estate of Charles Wells Huse, a minor, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States, on the terms and conditions hereinafter stated and subject to the confirmation of the above-entitled court, on or after the 8th day of January, 1924, an undivided one-fifth interest in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying, being and situate in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Lots number three (3) and four (4), S½ of NW¼, and NW¼ of SW¼ of Section three (3); the SE¼ of NE¼ and SE¼ of Section four (4); the NE¼, N½ of SE¼, NE¼ of NW¼ of Section nine (9); the SW¼ of NW¼, W½ of SW¼, and SE¼ of SW¼ of Section Ten (10); the N½ of NW¼, and Lots number 1-2-3-4-5-6-7 & 8 of Section fifteen (15); the W½ of W½ of Section fourteen (14); Lots number 1-2-3 & 4 of Section twenty-two (22); the W½ of NW¼, SE¼ of NW¼, and S½ of section twenty-three (23); the SW¼ of Section twenty-four (24); the NE¼ of NW¼, N½ of NE¼, and SE¼ of NE¼ of Section twenty-six (26), all in Township 22 NR 17 W; and all of SE¼ of Section six (6), Township 24 N. R. 17 W. M. D. M. B. M.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, lawful money of the United States, ten per cent (10 percent) of the purchase price to be paid at the time of bid or offer, and balance on confirmation of the sale by the Superior Court.

All bids and offers must be in writing and may be presented at the offices of Charles F. Craig, Humboldt Bank Building, or Lent & Humphrey, Mills Bldg., San Francisco, California, attorneys for the guardians, or may be left with the Clerk of said Court in the City and County of San Francisco, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of the sale.

Dated December 17, 1923.

Charles G. Huse
Jaunita Wells Vincent,
formerly Jaunita Huse.

Guardians of the Estate of Charles Wells Huse, a minor.

Charles F. Craig and Lent & Humphrey, Attys. for guardians, San Francisco, Calif. 29-3c

DROVE TO PORTLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Crawford, accompanied by James Sauvain, leave tomorrow in the Crawford car for Portland, Oregon, where the party will enjoy Christmas and New Years with Mrs. Crawford's relatives.

HAS BEEN ILL

Mrs. B. S. Hirsch has been quite ill at her home on West Perkins street for several days, her daughter Mrs. Mabel Forbes having come up to be with Mrs. Hirsch while the sickness lasts.

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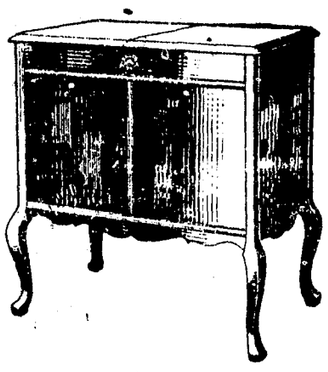

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INSTRUMENTS RECORDED PAST WEEK

December 10, 1923

DEEDS:

A. F. Hooper et ux to Vicenta F Garcia, dated Dec. 6 1923 W½ of SE¼ & SW¼ of NE¼ of S 21 T 21 NR MDM. Rev Stps $1.50 on deed.

Boyd Miller et ux to W J Fisher, dated Dec 8 1923. N½ of NW¼ S 14 & S½ of NE ¼ S 15 T 14 NR 13 W MDM. No rev. required.

W. R. Wray et ux to Robt. J. Wray, dated Nov 30 1923. All the lands, premises, rights and privileges granted to W. R. Wray by those certain deeds recorded in Book 1174 of Deeds, page 3 and in Book 175 of Deeds, page 206, records of Mendocino County.

No Revenue on this deed.

O. Cappelli & O Pardini et ux, to Snow Mt. Water & Power Co, dated July 10 1923. A right of way for transmission of electricity etc., No Revenue stamps on this deed.

NOTICE OF DEFAULT: :

Home inv Assn to W E Kosdy et ux, dated Dec. 6 1923. Notice of breach of that certain obligation secured by Deed of Trust recorded in Book 5 of Deeds of Trust at page 337, has been committed and that the following described property will be sold to satisfy said obligation:

NOTICE O FDEFAULT:

Bank of Alameda to A C Gould (alias), dated .....

Notice that breach has been made in that certain obligation secured by Deed of Trust recorded in Book 6 of Deeds of Trust at page 77, and that the following described property, or such portion thereof as may be necessary, will be sold to satisfy said obligation: SW¼ of NE¼, SE¼ of SE¼, NE¼ of SW¼, NW¼, of SE¼, SW¼ of SE¼, of S 17; E½ of NE¼, E¼ of SE¼, NW¼ of SE¼, of S 20; NW¼ of S 21; all in T 14 NR 12 W. MDM.

DUPLICATE RECEIPT:

S S Morton (Receiver U S Ld Office) to W G Robinson, dated Oct. 26 1904. Receipt for $15.60 in full compensation of Register and Receiver for the entry of NE¼ of NE¼ S 13 T 24 NR 17 W. & Lot 10, S 7 Lots 3 and 4 of S 18 T 24 N R 16 W MDM containing 149.15 acres.

MORTGAGES:

Clifford H Smith et ux to J P Bays, et ux, dated Dec 4 1923. Lots 1 to 22 both numbers inclusive, of Calpella Fruit Land Tract No. 3 $9000. Payable on or before 5 yrs. 6 percent.

Clifford H. Smith et ux to W. D. L. Held, dated Dec 4 1923. Lots 1 to 22 both numbers inclusive of Calpella Fruit Land Tract No. 3, $6000. Payable on or before Mch 22, 1930. 6 percent.

CHATTEL MORTGAGES:

J H Swift to Mande C Egan, dated Dec 7 1923.

1 Dodge Touring Car Model 1918 Engine No. 224683. To secure payment of $150.

Mike Salmela to Mrs. Julia Gschwend dated Sept. 28 1923. 6 milch cows and 2 horses. $300. 1 yr. 8 percent.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGE:

The Ft. Bragg Com'l Bank to Samuel Gordon, dated Dec. 7 1923. Releases Mortgage recorded in Book 88 of Mortgages at page 204.

W J Fisher to Boyd Miller et ux, dated Dec. 8 1923. Releases Mortgage recorded in Book 90 of Mortgages at page 38.

ASSIGNMENT OF MORTGAGE:

Daniel W Southard to Mads Iversen, dated Dec 10 1923. Assigns Mtg bearing date of Dec 9 1920 executed by C S Wattenburg et ux, and of record in Book 87 of Mortgages at page 254. Consideration for assn $1552.50.

CANCELLATION OF MORTGAGES

Clifford H. Smith et ux to W. D. L. Held. Cancels Mortgage recorded in Book 84 of Mortgages at page 204.

December 11, 1923

DEEDS:

E F Harvey et ux to Claude Simons, dated Dec. 10 1923. 1 acre of land in Town of Potter Valley. Rev. Stps $2 .on deed.

G. E Jamison et al to E S Williams, dated Dec 10 1923 SW¼ of S 9; N½ of NW¼ of S 16; N½ of S 17 T 17 N R 11 W MDM. Revenue stps $26 on this deed.

MORTGAGE:

E. S. Williams et ux to G. E. Jamison et al, dated Dec. 10 1923. SW¼ of S 9; N½ of NW¼ of S 16; N½ of N½ of 17; T 17 NR 11 W MDM. $17,000 payable $1000 Dec. 15 1923, and $2000 on Dec 15 1929 and $2000 on Dec 15 of each and every year thereafter until entire sum paid. Int. 6 percent.

Caroline E Smith et al to The First Nat Bank of Ukiah, dated Dec 11 1923. Lot 6 in Blk 12 N Waggenseller's Second Add to Ukiah. $600. 1 yr 7 per cent.

Hilma Johnson et vir to A. Ylitalo, dated Nov 27 1923. Lot 2 of Jensen Tract being in S 6 T 18 NR 17 W MDM. $1000. 1 yr. 7 percent.

CHATTEL MORTGAGES:

John S Johnson et ux to Wiley Higgins, dated Dec 11 1923 2 cows, 1 horse, 2 mules, & 1 1922-Chevrolet Delivery truck. $150 6 mo. 12 per cent int.

E S Williams to G E Jamison et al, dated Dec 10, 1923 1 tractor, 1 subsoiler, 1 spraying outfit, and all tools, farming implements and machinery now on ranch known as Jamison Bros Ranch in Potter Valley as partial security for sum of $8000. Payable in installments int. 6 per cent.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGGE:

Union Lbr Co. to Bernardo Bartolmei et ux, dated May 28 1923. Releases Mortgage recorded in Book 92 of Mortgages at page 338.

ATTACHMENT:

F W Wilson vs M B Warner, dated Dec 10, 1923. Attaches Lot 6 of Blk 3 Daugherty Addn to Willits. Demand $55.

LEASES: A Perelli-Minetti et al to A L Wessels, dated Aug 25 1923 Office building at 120 N School St. for 10 years total rental $42000.

A Perelli-Minetti et al to A L Wessels, dated Aug 25 1923 Paartments in building located on Blk 22 of Ukiah City for 10 years. Total rental $42000.

December 12, 1923

PATENT: United States to John E Heald, dated March 23 1911. Lots 1, 2, 3, and 11 and N¼ of Lot 10 S 18 T 11 NR 13 W MDM.

DEEDS: F K Looney et al to O S Babcock, dated Nov 1 1923 Lot 75 ft frontage on co rd, 120 ft deep and 75 ft in rear. Rev Stp $1. G E Redwine (Commissioner) to Joseph B. King, dated Dec 12, 1923. Lots 6 and 7 and E½ of SW¼ S 2 T 22 NR 17 W MDM Purchase price $2676.55. No Revenue Stamps on this deed.

CONTRACT OF SALE:

Thomas Lehman et ux to James P. Samsoe, dated Nov 27 1923. Lot 9 in Blk J Ukiah North Addn. Price $1100.

ASSIGNMENT OF CONTRACT OF SALE:

J P Samsoe to H G Runkel, dated Dec 1, 1923 which is now of record in Book 178 of Deeds page 32 et seq., being contract for sale of Lot 9 in Blk J Ukiah North Addn.

LEASE AND OPTION:

Donna E McCreary to Thomas E. Jackson, dated Oct 31, 1923 53 1-3 acres, being a part of SW¼ of S 33 T 17 NR 11 W MDM. For term of 2 yrs for sum of $700, cash. Option to pur. during said time for $4000.

MORTGAGE:

Julia H Ford to The First Nat Bank of Ukiah, dated Dec 12 1923. Ranch in Lots 94, 140 & 105 of Yokayo Rancho and in Secs 17 & 20 T 16 NR 12 W div. 6-10 int. being mortgaged hereby. MDM. $10,000. 1 yr 6 percent. An un-

Bertha G Davis to M H Iversen, dated Dec 12 1923, An undiv. ½ int in W½ of S 13 T 23 NR 15 W MDM. $1000. 1 yr. 8 percent.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE:

G A Abrio to Hale McCowen, Jr., dated Dec 11 1923. 4 Trucks, 1 Fordson Tractor, 2 horses. $2000. 6 mos. 7 percent.

RELEASES OF MORTGAGE:

Union Lbr Co to V Cellens et ux, dated Dec 3, 1923. Releases Mortgage recorded in Book 91 of Mortgages at page 275. The Ft. Bragg Com'l Bank to Julia H Ford, dated Dec 8, 1923. Releases Mortgage recorded in Book 88 of Mortgages at page 10.

ABSTRACT OF JUDGMENT:

Willits Merc. Co. vs M B Warner, dated Dec 11 1923. Judg. entered for Plff Dec 11 1923 for $96.75.

CANCELLATION OF MORTGAGES:

E. F. Harvey et ux to Henry Johnston Cancels Mortgage recorded in Book 93 of Mortgages at page 46.

Bertha G Davis to Martha M Burns, Cancels Mortgage recorded in Book 87 of Mortgages at page 380.

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NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING ON PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the State of California ,in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of Lucy A. Forse, Deceased.

No. 3997

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of December 1923 Thomas B. Forse produced a document, purporting to be the last will and testament of Lucy A. Forse, Deceased, and filed the same herein, together with his petition praying that the same be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to said Thomas B. Forse.

Notice is further hereby given that on the filing of said petition and the production of said document, the Clerk of this Court and the Judge thereof fixed the hearing of said petition for Friday, the 28th day of December 1923 at the hour of ten o'clock A. M., of said day at the Court room of this Court, in the Court house in Ukiah city, in said County and State, and all persons interested are hereby notified then and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said document should not be admitted to probate, as the last will and testament of said deceased, and letters testamentary issued to said Thomas B. Forse, the petitioner above named

Dated this 11th day of December 1923.

W. H. PRATHER

County Clerk of said County of Mendocino, and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court thereof.

By Beverly Broaddus, Deputy.

W. D. L. Held, Attorney for Petitioner

28-3-c.

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING ON PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of Emil W. C. Runge, Deceased.

No. 3998

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of December 1923 William Goellner produced a document purporting to be the last will and testament of Emil W. C. Runge, Deceased, and filed the same herein, together with his petition praying that the same be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to said William Goellner.

Notice is further given that on the filing of said petition and the production of said document, the Clerk of this Court and the Judge thereof, fixed the hearing of said petition for Friday, the 28th day of December 1923, at the hour of ten o'clock A M., of said day, at the Court room of this Court, in the Court house in Ukiah city, in said County and State, and all persons interested are hereby notified then and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said document should not be admitted to probate, as the last will and testament of said deceased, and letters testamentary issued to William Goellner, the petitioner above named.

Dated this 11th day of December 1923.

W. H. PRATHER,

County Clerk of said County of Mendocino, and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court thereof.

By Beverly Broaddus, Deputy.

W. D. L Held, Attorney for Petitioner. 28-3c.

AN ART EXHIBIT

Miss BerthaM. Boye went to San Francisco Monday and will be at The Gallerie des Beaux Arts, 116 Maiden Lane, San Francisco, until the middle of January. At the gallery there will be an exhibition of paintings, drawings and plaques exhibited by Miss Boye and J. Vannerstrom Cannon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at San Francisco, Calif., November 28, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that Beryl Jefferson Rawles of Orrs, Calif., who on November 19, 1919, made homestead entry, No. 013028, for W½ SW¼, NE¼ SW¼, Section 8 Township 16 N., Range 13 W., MD Meridian has filed three years Proof ,to establish claim to the land above described, before the Clerk o fthe Superior Court, at Ukiah, Calif., on the 16th day of January, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses:

H. A. Singley, of Orrs, Calif.
Mrs. H. A. Singley, of Orrs, Calif.
H. E. Clay, of Boonville, Calif.
E. A. Ford, of Ukiah, Calif.

LIDA M. HUME,
Register.

27-6-c

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SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino.

Leomiza Vassar, Plaintiff, vs. Geneva Bernice Vassar, State of California, Highland Springs and Squaw Rock Toll Road Company, a corporation, J. M. Roney, Peter Prince, J. J. Morrison, W. H. Forse, Maxima A. Willard, and "also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto," Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino, and the complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Mendocino.

MANNON & MANNON,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California send greeting to: Geneva Bernice Vassar, State of California, Highland Springs and Squaw Rock Toll Road Company, a corporation, J. M. Roney, Peter Prince, J. J. Morrison, W. H. Forse, Maxima A. Willard and "also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto," Defendants.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in the action entitled as above, brought against you by the above named plaintiff, Leomiza Vassar, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino, within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within the county, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear as above required said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising on contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

The object of this action is to determine the adverse claim to and the clouds upon the title to the real property described in said complaint and hereinafter described, and to obtain a judgment and decree of this court adjudging that the defendants have, and each of them has, no adverse claims to the hereinafter described real property or to any part or portion thereof, said plaintiff claiming that she and her predecessors in interest have been the owners in fee simple, in the actual, exclusive and adverse possession of said real property continuously for more than twenty years next immediately prior to the filing of the complaint in this action, claiming to own said real property in fee simple against the whole world; and that she has paid all taxes of every kind levied and | or assessed against said real property during the period of five years continuously next immediately prior to the filing of the complaint in this action; that the complaint on file herein with the Clerk of the above entitled court is hereby referred to for further particulars. Said action is brought under and pursuant to the provisions of sections 749, 750 and 751 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California.

Said real property is described in said complaint as follows, to-wit: That said real property is situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and is bounded and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

In Twp. 13 N, R 11 W, M. D. M. the following:

W½ of Sec. 35; containing 320 acres; and: Beginning at a point 17.16 chains due south from center of Sec. 26; thence S. 17 deg. E. to south bank of Coleman Creek; thence in a direct line to a point 1.00 chain due South from the NW corner of the NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 35; thence East to Section line between Sections 35 and 36; thence South to SE corner of NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 35; thence West 40.00 chains; thence North to point of beginning, containing 100 acres, more or less, and being fraction of SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 26; and fraction N½ of NE¼ of Sec. 35, T. 13 N. R. 11 W. M. D. M.

S½ of SW¼ of Sec. 26, containing 80 acres; the NW¼ of the SW¼ of Sec. 26, excepting therefrom the following described piece; Beginning at a point on the west line of said Sec. 26, 7.13 chains South of the ¼ Sec. corner, and running thence North 7.13 chains to ¼ Sec. corner; thence East 20 chains; thence South 2.75 chains; thence in a direct line to the place of beginning. Said exception contains 9.88 acres, more or less.

The NE¼ of the SW¼ of Sec. 26, excepting those portions thereof described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake 2.75 chains South of the SW corner of the SE¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 26; and running thence North 2.75 chains; thence East 10 chains; thence in a direct line to the place of beginning, containing 1.38 acres. Also beginning at a fence 4.84 chains West of the center of said Sec. 26; and running thence East 4.84 chains to center of said Section; thence South 17.16 chains to fence; thence N. 17 deg. W., with fence to summit of Chemisal point; thence N. 12½ deg. W. to point of beginning, and containing 4.16 acres. The whole of said remaining piece, containing 34.46 acres, more or less.

Also beginning at a point on the South line of NW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 27 which is 9.17 chs. West of the SE corner of said NW¼ of SE¼ and running N. 60½ deg. E. 5.90 chains thence N. 66 deg. E. 6.55 chains; thence South 6.15 chains to said SE corner of said ¼ Section; thence West 9.17 chains to place of beginning, containing 3 acres of land, and being fraction of NW¼ of SE¼ of said Sec. 27. The SE¼ of the SE¼ of Sec. 27.

Also beginning at a point on the East boundary of said Section 27, 7.13 chains South of the ¼ Sec. corner, running thence South 12.87 chains; thence West 20 chains; thence North 6.15 chains; thence N. 66 deg. E. 10.56 chains; thence N. 69¼ deg. E. 11.06 chains to place of beginning, containing 17.50 acres, and being fraction of NE¼ of NE¼ of said Sec. 27;

The E½ of the NE¼ of Sec. 34; the SE¼ of Sec. 34.

Also, beginning at a point in the toll road from Ukiah to Cloverdale, 5.29 chains East of SW. corner of Sec. 34; thence N. 42¼ deg. W., 7.86 chains; N. 14.19 chains; east 20 chains; south 20 chains; thence West 14.71 chains to point of beginning, (excepting therefrom 9 acres North and West of the dividing fence, and conveyed by John Rodgers to Henry Willard by deed recorded in Book 12 of Deeds page 496), and containing 29.47 acres, and being fraction SW¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 34; Also: Beginning at the SE. corner of NW¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 34; thence N. 7.08 chains; S. 44½ deg. W., 9.93 chains; East 6.98 chains to the point of beginning, containing 2.47 acres, and being fraction of NW¼ of SW¼ of said Sec. 34; Also that portion of the E½ of SW¼ of Sec. 34, beginning at a point 6.47 chains West of the center of said Sec. 34; thence S. 21½ deg. W., 37.00chains; thence South 5.57 chains; thence East 20.00 chains; thence North 40.00 chains to center of Section; thence West 6.47 chains to point of beginning, containing 56.71 acres. Also: Beginning at the NE corner of the SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 27; thence West 9.18 chains; thence S. 61 deg. W., 4.45 chains; thence S. 34 deg. E. 9.80 chains; thence S. 13 deg. E., 13.70 chains; thence S. 4½ deg. W., 15.15 chains; thence S. 47¾ deg. W., 2.09 chains; thence East 7.40 chains; thence North 40.00 chains to place of beginning, and containing 27.87 acres, and being part of SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 27; and part of NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 34. Also: Beginning at the center of Sec. 34; thence East 20.00 chains; thence North 20.00 chains; thence West 6.95 chains; thence S. 44½ deg. W., 28.52 chains; East 7.31 chains to point of beginning, containing 34.37 acres, and being part of SW¼ of NE¼ and SE¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 34;

Also: in Twp. 12 N. R. 11 W., M. D. M. the following: Lots 1, 2 and 11, containing 64.07 acres; Lots 3, 4, 9, and 10 each containing 80 acres; W½ of Lot 5, containing 40 acres, all the above described land being in Sec. 1;

Also Lots 1 and 2, each containing 21.40 acres; Lot 11, containing 21.02 acres; Lot 12, containing 20.87 acres; all in Sec. 2; Also E½ of Lot 5 of said Sec. 2 (excepting 4.28 acres conveyed by W. J. Vassar to James M. Hixon by deed recorded in Book 86 of Deeds page 180), and containing 35.72 acres.

Also: Beginning at a point 2.70 chains S. 78½ deg. E. from NE corner of Lot 7, Sec. 2; thence N. 24½ deg. W., 11.00 chains; N. 62¼ deg. W. 8.16 chains to center of toll road from Cloverdale to Ukiah; thence along center of said road N. 43¼ deg. W., 20.66 chains; N. 45¾ deg. W., 13.47 chains; N. 23¼ deg. W., 2.40 chains; thence East 77.00 chains to NE. corner of Lot 3; South 40.00 chains to SE. corner of Lot 4; S. 89¾ deg. W., 37.36 chains to point of beginning, containing 220 acres, more or less, and being lots 3 and 4, and portion of Lots 5, 9 and 10 of said Sec. 2.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino, this 3rd day of October, 1923.

(Seal) W. H. PRATHER,
Clerk.

By Beverly Broaddus, Deputy Clerk.

21-10c

SUMMONS

No. 9908

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

A. Perelli-Minetti, Plaintiff, vs. E. T. Farmer, A. C. Carpenter, John S. Reed, Bank of Santa Rosa, a Corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the Laws of the State of California, J. H. Donohoe, D. C. Crockett, James Fowzer, David Burris, W. D. L. Held, Weldon & Held, a Corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the Laws of the State of California, R. D. Weldon, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Thomas Jackson Weldon, also known as T. J. Weldon, deceased, Belle Day, A. Sanchez, P. Connolly, S. L. Rea, Marian Van Dusen, Chester N. Cox, and "All other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint, adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud on plaintiff's title thereto," Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino, and the complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County.

L. W. PERLEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California send greeting to: E. T. Farmer, A. O. Carpenter, John S. Reed, Bank of Santa Rosa, a Corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the Laws of the State of California, J. H. Donohoe, D. C. Crockett, James Fowzer, David Burris, W. D. L. Held, Weldon & Held, a Corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the Laws of the State of California, R. D. Weldon, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Thomas Jackson Weldon, also known as T. J. Weldon, deceased, Belle Day, A. Sanchez, P. Connolly, S. L. Rea, Marian Van Dusen, Chester N .Cox, and "All other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint, adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud on plaintiff's title thereto."

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

AND YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract or will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the object of this action is to determine the adverse claims to, and clouds upon the title to the real property hereinafter described, and to require the defendants above named and "also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto," to set forth the nature of their claim or claims to the property hereinafter described, if any they have, and for a decree that such claim or claims be adjudged as unjust, without right, and of no effect, and that plaintiff's title thereto be quieted against them, and each of them, and that plaintiff's title thereto is good and valid, and that the defendants and each of them be forever barred from asserting any claim whatsoever to said land or any part thereof adverse to the said plaintiff, which said lands and premises are situated, lying and being in the Town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

"Commencing at the point of Intersection of the southerly boundary line of Standley Street with the Westerly boundary line of School Street, being the NE corner of Block 22 of the said Town of Ukiah City, as same are designated and delineated on a map of the said Town of Ukiah City on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of said Mendocino County and the point of beginning; thence from said point of beginning westerly and along the southerly boundary line of said Standley Street a distance of 160.82 feet to the northeast corner of the tract of land owned by C. N. Cox in said Block 22; thence angling to the left 89 deg. 23 min. southerly and along the easterly boundary line of the lands of C. N. Cox, a distance of 111.65 feet to the northerly boundary line of the tracts of land owned by Marian Van Dusen, P. Connolly and S. L. Rea in said Block 22; thence easterly angling to the left 90 deg. 4 min. and along the northerly boundary line of the lands of said Marian Van Dusen, P. Connolly and S. L. Rea a distance of 100.04 feet to the westerly boundary line of said School Street; thence northerly and along the westerly boundary line of said School Street, a distance of 110.27 feet to the point of beginning, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof."

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California this 18th day of July A. D. 1923.

W. H. PRATHER, Clerk.

(Seal)

By Beverly Broaddus, Deputy Clerk.

21-10c

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of the Estate of Jerry Tarbot, An Incompetent Person.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of title eleven of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, the undersigned, ALEX R. THOMAS, the guardian of the Estate of Jerry Tarbot, an Incompetent Person, will sell at public auction in one parcel to the highest bidder for cash and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court on Saturday the 29th day of December A. D. 1923 at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in front of the court house at the Town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino and State of California, all the right, title and interest and estate of the said Jerry Tarbot, an Incompetent Person in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The east half of the southwest quarter and the West half of the southeast quarter of section thirty four, Township fifteen, North of Range thirteen, West of Mt. Diablo Meridian, California, containing one hundred sixty acres according to the Official Plat of the Survey of said land returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General; subject however, to the following mortgages:

Subject however to a certain mortgage executed by Henry E. Skinner as Attorney in fact for Jerry Tarbot to Martin Swan for the sum of seven hundred dollars recorded in Book 93 of Mortgages at page 18 records of said Medocino County, and

also to a certain mortgage made and executed by Jerry Tarbot to Martin Swan for the sum of Seventeen Hunderd and Fifty Dollars and recorded in Book 90 of Mortgages at page 232, records of said Mendocino County.

Terms and Conditions of Sale.

CASH IN GOLD COIN OF THE UNITED STATES, ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid on the date of sale and the balance on the confirmation of sale by said Superior Court. Deed and Abstract at the expense of purchaser.

Dated this 7th day of December A. D. 1923.

ALEX R. THOMAS,
Guardian of the Estate of Jerry Tarbot an Incompetent Person.

A. L. Wessel, Attorney for said Guardian. 28-3c

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of John William Osborn, also known as John W. Osborn and J. W. Osborn, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of decedent above named to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file the same with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the above-entitled Court within four months after the first publication of this notice, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the offices of Mannon & Mannon in the Town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate in said County of Mendocino.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 1923.

F. M. OSBORN,
As Administrator of the Estate of John William Osborn, also known as John W. Osborn and J. W. Osborn, Deceased.

MANNON & MANNON,
Attorneys for said Administrator.

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